ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

BID OPENING: FRIDAY, JANUARY 30, 2009, AT 11:00 A.M. (M.S.T.)

TRACS NO 000 GH GGH SB41601C
PROJ NO BR-GGH-0-(007)A
TERMINI GRAHAM COUNTY

LOCATION Safford, 8TH Avenue Bridge

ROUTE NO. MILEPOST DISTRICT ITEM NO. N/A N/A SAFFORD LOCAL

The amount programmed for this contract is \$13,947,792. The location and description of the proposed work and the representative items and approximate quantities are as follows:

The proposed work is located north of the City of Safford in Graham County along 8th Avenue at the 8th Avenue Bridge over the Gila River. The project work will include the construction of a new bridge crossing over the Gila River and re-align both roadway approaches. The new structure will be located adjacent to an upstream of the existing structure. Additional work includes placement of pavement markings, signs, seeding, and other related work.

REPRESENTATIVE ITEMS	UNIT	QUANTITY
Roadway Excavation	CU.YD.	6,740
Borrow	CU.YD.	22,250
Aggregate Base, Class 3	CU.YD.	5,225
Asphaltic Concrete (Miscellaneous Structural)	TON	4,070
Structural Concrete (Class S)	CU.YD.	3,830
F-Shape Bridge Concrete Barrier and Transition (32 Inch)	L.FT.	2,560
Precast, P/S Member (AASHTO Type 6-S Girder)	L.FT.	8,305
Reinforcing Steel	LB.	876,390
Drilled Shaft Foundation	L.FT.	2,160
Pavement Markings	L.FT.	23,800
Riprap (Slope Mattress)	CU.YD.	2,700
Provide On-The-Job Training	HOUR	500
Contractor Quality Control	L.SUM	1
Construction Surveying and Layout	L.SUM	1

The time allowed for the completion of the work included in this project will be 215 working days.

The Arizona Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that pursuant to this advertisement for bids, Disadvantaged Business Enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this solicitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin in consideration for an award.

Project plans, special provisions, and proposal pamphlets may be purchased from Contracts and Specifications Section, 1651 W. Jackson, Room 121F, Phoenix, AZ 85007-3217, (602) 712-7221. Plans and bidding documents should be available for sale to bidders within one week following the advertisement for bids. The cost is \$51.00, payable at time of order by cash, check or money order. Please indicate whether a bid proposal package or a subcontractor/supplier set is desired. An additional fee of \$5.00 will be charged for each set of Special Provisions

requested which is not accompanied by the purchase of a related set of project plans. Checks should be made payable to the Arizona Department of Transportation. No refund will be made for plans and specifications returned. We cannot guarantee mail delivery.

This project is eligible for electronic bidding.

Cross sections and/or earthwork quantity sheets, if available, may be ordered from the Control Desk of Roadway Design Section at (602) 712-8667. Orders must be placed at least five days prior to bid opening to insure availability. Documents may be picked up and paid for at Contracts & Specifications Section.

No contracting firm will be issued a proposal pamphlet until it has become prequalified. The Application for Contractor Prequalification shall be filed at least 15 calendar days prior to the bid opening date. The Application may be obtained from Contracts and Specifications Section.

No award will be made to any contractor who is not a duly licensed contractor in accordance with Arizona Revised Statutes 32-1101 through 32-1170.03.

All labor employed on this project shall be paid in accordance with the minimum wage rates shown in the General Wage Decision. These rates have been determined in accordance with the requirements of the law and issued by the Secretary of Labor for this project. The wage scale is on file in Contracts and Specifications Section and copies may be obtained at all reasonable times.

A proposal guaranty in the form of either a certified or a cashier's check made payable to the State Treasurer of Arizona for not less than ten percent of the amount of the bid or in the form of a surety (bid) bond for ten percent of the amount of the bid shall accompany the proposal.

Surety (bid) bonds will be accepted only on the form provided by the Department and only from corporate sureties authorized to do business in Arizona.

Proposal pamphlets shall be submitted only in the envelope provided by the Department to:

Arizona Department of Transportation Intermodal Transportation Division Contracts and Specifications Section 1651 West Jackson Street, Room 121F Phoenix, Arizona 85007-3217

Sealed bids will be received until the hour indicated and then publicly opened and read. No bids will be received after the time specified.

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